

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 1007 - SB 1017**

February 22, 2017

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes employers of lobbyists or lobbyists to provide certain gifts to candidates for public office, legislative officials, executive branch officials, and their immediate family.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

**Assumptions:**

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 3-6-305, gifts that are given for a nonbusiness purpose and motivated by a close personal friendship are not prohibited.
- Under the proposed language any gift that is motivated by a close personal friendship will not be prohibited.
- The Tennessee Ethics Commission will update manuals and its website to reflect the change in allowable gifts in the normal course of business; thus, such updates can be accomplished with existing staff and will not result in any significant increase in state expenditures.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Krista M. Lee".

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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